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Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action, made Final, dated December 17, 2002, please consider the remarks made below in connection with the above-identified patent application. Submitted concurrently herewith is (a) a Petition for an Extension of Time for Response for three (3) months from March 17, 2003 to an including June 17, 2003, accompanied by the appropriate fee; (b) an Amendment Fee Transmittal Sheet; (c) a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement; (d) a List of References Cited, listing References DG-DK; and (e) a Request for Continued Examination, accompanied by the appropriate fee.



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Sir:

The fee required to be filed with the accompanying Response under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of even date herewith concerning the above-identified application has been estimated to be \$-0-.

Please charge any required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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